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OF THE ASPARTATE AND/OR GLUTAMATE FAMILY AND  
AGENTS WHICH CAN BE USED IN SAID METH

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#### AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action (paper 9) mailed  
19 July 2001, please amend the above-identified application as  
follows:

#### IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please delete the sequence listing following the claims  
and insert the sequence listing that accompanies this amendment  
into the specification immediately preceding the claims.

#### REMARKS

This amendment is submitted in response to the Patent and  
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Applicants are enclosing a paper copy of the requested  
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